



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



March 2003

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LAKE ERIE

LEZ162	Le Detroit R Lt To Reno Beach Oh Byd 5Nm Offshore To Intl Border								
Maumee Bay to Reno Beach	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (EG35)
LEZ163	Le Reno Beach To The Islands Oh Byd 5Nm Offshore To Intl Border								
Reno Beach to The Islands	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (EG35)
LEZ164	Le The Islands To Vermilion Oh Byd 5Nm Offshore To Intl Border								
The Islands to Vermilion	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (EG35)
LEZ165	Le Vermilion To Avon Pt Oh Byd 5Nm Offshore To Intl Border								
Vermilion to Avon Point	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (EG35)
LEZ142	Maumee Bay To Reno Beach Oh								
Maumee Bay to Reno Beach	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (EG35)
LEZ143	Reno Beach To The Islands Oh								
Reno Beach to The Islands	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (MG35)
LEZ144	The Islands To Vermilion Oh								
The Islands to Vermilion	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (EG35)
LEZ145	Vermilion To Avon Point Oh								
Vermilion to Avon Point	28	2010EST 2145EST			0	0			Marine Tstm Wind (EG35)

Showers moved across the western basin of Lake Erie. Although no thunder or lightning was observed, the showers were intense enough to produce wind gusts in excess of 35 knots. An automated wind sensor recorded a 35 knot gust at Port Clinton.

OHIO, North

OHZ029>030	Richland - Ashland								
	08	1830EST 2030EST			0	0	40K		Strong Wind (EG35)

A cold front moved across northern Ohio during the evening hours. Showers and strong winds accompanied this front. Wind gusts of 30 to 40 mph downed a few trees and limbs in Richland and Ashland Counties. Power outages were reported in Richland County near Ontario and Mansfield. A peak gust of 33 mph was recorded at Mansfield Lahm Airport (Richland County) at 7:47 p.m.

OHZ023-033	Trumbull - Mahoning								
	08	1930EST 2130EST			0	0	150K		Strong Wind (MG43)

A cold front moved across northern Ohio during the evening hours. Showers and strong winds accompanied this front. Wind gusts in excess of 50 mph downed trees and limbs in Mahoning and Trumbull Counties. Several homes and at least three cars were damaged by fallen trees in Warren (Trumbull County). A peak gust of 50 mph was recorded at the Youngstown-Warren Regional Airport at 8:34 p.m.

Lucas County									
Maumee	20	1801EST			0	0	2K		Hail(0.75)

Penny size hail was observed.

Lucas County									
Maumee	20	1806EST			0	0	5K		Hail(1.00)

Quarter size hail was observed.



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Lucas County							
Toledo	20	1814EST			0 0	2K	Hail(0.75)
			Penny size hail was observed just south of Toledo.				
Lucas County							
Toledo	20	1835EST			0 0	2K	Hail(0.75)
			Penny size hail was observed.				
Hancock County							
Findlay	20	1850EST			0 0	2K	Hail(0.75)
			Penny size hail was observed on the west side of Findlay.				
Lucas County							
West Toledo	20	1910EST			0 0	2K	Hail(0.75)
			Penny size hail was observed.				
Hancock County							
Findlay	20	1914EST			0 0	5K	Hail(1.00)
			Quarter size hail was observed near Findlay.				
Wood County							
Bradner	20	1918EST			0 0	2K	Hail(0.75)
			Penny size hail was observed.				
Seneca County							
Fostoria	20	1925EST			0 0	2K	Hail(0.75)
			Penny size hail was observed.				
Sandusky County							
Gibsonburg	20	1930EST			0 0	2K	Hail(0.75)
			Penny size hail was observed.				
Sandusky County							
Lindsey to Fremont	28	2020EST 2030EST			0 1	350K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG45)
			Showers moved across Sandusky County during the evening hours. Although no lightning or thunder was reported, the showers were intense enough to cause significant damage in the county. Winds were estimated to be well in excess of 50 mph. Two semi trucks were blown over on the Ohio Turnpike just north of Lindsey. One of the truck drivers sustained injuries serious enough to require hospitalization. In Lindsey, the roof of a large building was blown off and several homes nearby were also damaged by the strong winds. Many trees were downed in and around Lindsey. A 40 by 60 foot barn located six miles west of Fremont was destroyed.				
Ottawa County							
Port Clinton to Oak Harbor	28	2059EST 2112EST			0 0	75K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG45)
			Showers moved across Ottawa County during the evening hours. Although no thunder or lightning was reported, the showers were intense enough to cause some damage in the county. Wind gusts were estimated to be in excess of 50 mph. A few trees and large limbs were downed in Port Clinton. A barn was leveled near Oak Harbor and a nearby house was also damaged by the strong winds.				

PENNSYLVANIA, Northwest

PAZ003	Crawford						
	08	1930EST 2130EST			0 0	75K	Strong Wind (MG46)
			A cold front moved across northwestern Pennsylvania during the evening hours. Showers and strong winds accompanied this front. Wind gusts in excess of 50 mph downed at least two dozen trees in Crawford County. Scattered power outages were also reported. A peak gust of 53 mph was recorded at the Meadville Airport at 8:32 p.m.				



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PENNSYLVANIA, Northwest